



## **Seeking Nomination for the Proposed Central Waterfront Steering Committee**

We would like your suggestions for individuals who would be appropriate to serve on the proposed Central Waterfront Steering Committee. The following is an overview of the roles, composition and characteristics of the committee. The committee charter and membership would be approved by the Mayor and Council.

Email suggestions to David Goldberg at [davidw.goldberg@seattle.gov](mailto:davidw.goldberg@seattle.gov) by Wednesday, June 9.

### **Roles and Responsibilities**

- Provide holistic oversight of waterfront design including seawall, public spaces and other related projects
- Deliberate as a group and advise the City at key project milestones
- Ensure robust and innovative public engagement
- Participate in consultant selection
- Expected to evolve in to Partnership Entity

### **Composition**

- Approximately 8-10 members
- Seattle Department of Transportation, Department of Planning and Development, and Parks and Recreation will serve as ex officio members

### **Desired Characteristics**

- Demonstrated commitment to the larger public interest.
- City-wide perspective and community-wide reputation.
- Demonstrated leadership skills. Able to build good will and trust among diverse communities, constituencies, and the media as well as city, county, state, and federal elected officials.
- Strategic experience and expertise in delivering complex civic projects.
- Specific Areas of Expertise:
  - Design Excellence - the ability to recognize, articulate, and inspire excellent, forward-looking design that balances the multiple objectives of the project.
  - Partnerships and Philanthropy - Expertise in establishing and operating effective public / private partnerships, including experience with broad-based funding, philanthropy, programming, etc.
  - Sustainable Design / Ecology- Expertise in environmentally sensitive design and planning and stewardship.
  - Transportation Systems – Expertise in balancing the competing demands of providing safe and convenient access to the full range of transportation needs on the waterfront.
- Individuals must meet standard of Seattle's Code of Ethics: in this case, individuals may have no disabling conflicts of interests such as participating on a consulting team proposing to work on any aspect of the Central Waterfront project.

### **Nominations**

Please submit a paragraph describing why the persons you are nominating meet the desired qualifications. Their contact information would be helpful however we do not expect you to confirm their interest or availability.

**Central Waterfront Partnerships Committee** [http://www.seattle.gov/dpd/Planning/Central\\_Waterfront/Overview/](http://www.seattle.gov/dpd/Planning/Central_Waterfront/Overview/)